

House Resolution No. 2107

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives occasionally pause in their diverse legislative endeavors in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri residents as C. Robert Monroe at momentous times in their lives and careers; and

Whereas, Robert Monroe will receive a Baron of the Boardroom Award from the Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association at that organization's 34th Annual Bench-Bar & Boardroom Conference, which will be held from May 3 to May 5, 2007, at centrally located Tan-Tar-A Resort at Lake of the Ozarks; and

Whereas, Robert Monroe attended Westminster College, where he earned a Bachelor's degree in biology, and Saint Louis University, where he completed a degree in law before entering into private practice with Shughart Thomson & Kilroy, PC; and

Whereas, in 1981 Robert Monroe joined Brown Koralchik & Fingersh, followed in 1995 by Stinson, Mag & Fizzell where he has served on the Board of Directors and has been chair of the firm's Financial Services Division since its merger with Morrison & Hecker; and

Whereas, Robert Monroe serves as counsel to more than one hundred financial institutions and bank and financial holding companies; and

Whereas, Robert Monroe developed two bank products that enabled banks to branch into foreign states and that permitted smaller bank holding companies to utilize trust preferred securities, and he is a faculty member at the University of Colorado Graduate School of Banking:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Robert Monroe for the Baron of the Boardroom Award from the Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association and to convey this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to C. Robert Monroe.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt, District No. 55

Representative Tim Flook, District No. 34

Representative John Burnett, District No. 40

Representative Mike Talboy, District No. 37

Representative Jason Grill, District No. 32

Representative Brian Yates, District No. 56

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2107, adopted April 17, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker